



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Examiner: Teresa E Strzelecka

Group Art Unit: 1637

In re PATENT APPLICATION of

Applicants : Hanns-George Klein)

Serial No. : 10/594,256)

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For : POLYMORPHISMS IN THE NOD2/CARD15)
GENE)

AMENDMENT

No fee is believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees required in connection with the filing of this paper to account No. 50-0710 (Order No.: JCLA21973)

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir,

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2009, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.